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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Michael J. Sullivan *26/E*
FOR : **IMPROVED MULTI-LAYER GOLF BALL** *attn:hm*
SERIAL NO. : 08/870,585 ✓
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EXAMINER : M. Graham
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Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2518
April 3, 2000

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 1999, please amend the present application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (Twice Amended) A golf ball according to claim 1, wherein the inner cover layer has a thickness of about 0.100 to about 0.010 inches and the outer cover layer has a thickness of about 0.010 to about [0.70] 0.070 inches, the golf ball having the properties required by the U.S.G.A. and having an overall diameter of 1.680 inches or more.

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